



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : MAO  
Application No. : 10/676,114  
Filed : October 2, 2003  
Title : MOMENT RESISTANT STRUCTURE WITH  
SUPPORTING MEMBER AND METHOD FOR THE  
SAME  
Group Art Unit : 3635  
Examiner : Y.M. Horton  
Docket No. : 3092-387

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 1, 2006, in which the period for response has been extended to expire on April 1, 2007, by the filing herewith of a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time and payment of the required fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows: